

HOUSE RESOLUTION 44

By Keisling

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Jerry Fox upon being inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those gifted athletes, coaches, and administrators who have attained the very pinnacle of sporting achievement; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Fox is one such legendary athlete, who was recently inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame in the heritage division; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fox was a four-year letterman in basketball and football at Celina High School; and

WHEREAS, an All-Conference honoree, he posted an exemplary 16-9-2 record during the three seasons he was his team's starting quarterback; and

WHEREAS, during his junior year, the Bulldogs went 7-3, outscored their opponents 297-76, and recorded four shutouts, including the notorious 83-0 rout of Monterey; and

WHEREAS, in 1959, Mr. Fox was named Best Back in the Upper Cumberland, which was the Mid-State's top football honor at the time; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Fox demonstrated leadership, skill, and athleticism on the gridiron, and he should be recognized on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and congratulate Jerry Fox upon being inducted into the Clay County Sports Hall of Fame and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.